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At 0600 on 22 April 1955, two ships lying on the building slips were in their initial state of construction in the Szczecin Shipyard. Three other vessels, one of which already had the contours of her Soviet-style stack mark welded on, were fitting out at the shipyard, and a ship flying the Polish flag was finished complete and obviously had left the shipyard quay not later than 2100 on 23 April 1955. All these ships were of similar type and size, their deadweight tonnage being estimated at 3,500 dwt. Each ship had four holds and one tween deck covered by four derrick booms, six hollow King posts, two between each two hatches, and two solid masts one each fitted forward and aft. 25X1

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